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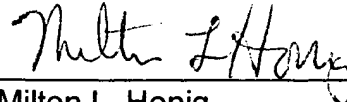
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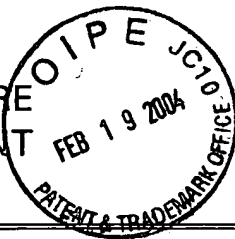
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		10 130695	5/19/98	Japan-Abstract enclosed			YES

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